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Applicant: John Rebhorn et al.

Examiner: Robert A. Madsen

Serial No.: 09/781,582

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**Title: PORTABLE, SIDE-BY-SIDE COMPARTMENT CONTAINER AND
METHOD FOR SEPARATELY STORING AND DISPENSING TWO CONSUMABLE
PRODUCTS, ESPECIALLY CEREAL AND MILK**

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF
PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (37 C.F.R. §1.191)**

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision from the Primary Examiner, dated November 6, 2002, finally rejecting claims 1-51. The fee for this Notice of Appeal, under 37.C.F.R. 1.17(b) is **\$320.00**

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) apply.

(a) Applicant petitions for an extension-of-time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the total number of months checked below:

one month (\$110.00)

two months (\$410.00)

three months (\$930.00)

four months (\$1,450.00)

The extension-of-time fee has already been filed in this application.

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(b) Applicant believes that non extension-of-time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that Applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension-of-time.

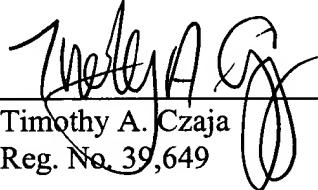
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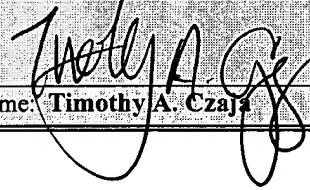
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The undersigned hereby certifies that this paper or papers, as described herein, are being deposited in the United States Postal Service, as first class mail, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C., 20231 on this 20 day of February, 2003.

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